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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Attorney Docket No.: GOOGLE-5

William PUGH, Monika H. HENZINGER Applicants:

Title: DETECTING DUPLICATE AND NEAR-DUPLICATE FILES

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The applicants preserve the right to file an application directed to the disclosed invention in another



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